



THE LENGLI, AN INTERESTING ORNAMENTAL TREE OF PERU (*HESPEROMELES OBLONGA* LINDLEY), S. P. I. No. 41325.
This tree, commonly known as the lengli, grows in the mountains of Peru at altitudes of 10,000 to 12,000 feet. Where conditions are favorable, the tree attains a height of 30 to 40 feet, with a trunk diameter of 1 to 2 feet. The oval leaves are green above and reddish brown tomentose beneath. The fruit is richly colored, being pink when young and passing all the stages of red until almost black when ripe. The mature fruit hangs on the tree for a long time. The tree may be expected to stand cool weather and even frost. (Photographed, slightly reduced, by the Yale University-National Geographic Society Expedition, July, 1915; P18045CA.)